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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Stamford Stormwater Infrastructure Improvements in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Stamford, located at 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, Connecticut 06901.

The funding would be used for the replacement, restoration, and construction of catch basins, storm sewer pipes, culverts, and other infrastructure to build the capacity of Stamford's stormwater management system. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will help Stamford meet existing stormwater management needs by alleviating capacity shortfalls during heavy rain and storm events and reducing sediment and other contamination in the Long Island Sound. While this project is not currently on the State's Clean Water Intended Use Plan, Stamford will with the Connecticut Department of Energy & Environmental Protection to include the project on the IUP upon grant award.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Himes", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.



JIM HIMES

Member of Congress